





WE WANT YOU ON THE CULTURAL AWARENESS COMMITTEE!

What is the Cultural Awareness Committee?

The Cultural Awareness Committee is a group of Bureau of the Public Debt employees who volunteer their time to plan activities for a variety of programs administered through the EEO office. The purpose of the activities is to educate employees and others about various cultures and ethnic groups.

What programs are involved?

The Cultural Awareness Committee, with the EEO office, plans programs for the following:

- January......Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
 February......African-American History Month
 March......Women's History Month
 April.....Take Our Children to Work Day
 May.....Asian-Pacific Month
 August.....Women's Equality Month
 September.....Hispanic Heritage Month
- October.....Disability Awareness Month
- November.....Native American Heritage Month
- December.....EEO Open House

When does the committee meet and what is expected of committee members?

Committee meetings are usually held once a month for approximately two hours to discuss plans for upcoming events. Members are encouraged to attend the meetings and participate by providing suggestions and ideas for programs they would like to bring to Public Debt; by assisting at programs by taking tickets, seating employees, passing out programs; by using creativity to help come up with advertisements and webpage information; and by helping to prepare, set up, serve, or clean up at food samplings.

If you are unable, you need not attend every meeting to be a valuable member of this committee.

Who can be a member of the Cultural Awareness Committee?

Any bureau employee can be a member of the committee. You do need to get approval from your supervisor since all meetings and programs are during work hours. If you're interested and would like to share in planning activities and have a good time while you're doing it, we'd like you to join us. Just send an e-mail to the EEO office and you'll be notified of the next meeting time and place.

How do I join?

Contact the EEO Office @ (304) 480-6527 or cc:Mail us at: eeo_office@bpd.treas.gov

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